CHAPTER NO. 922

HOUSE BILL NO. 2152

By Representatives Kernell, Garrett, Brooks, Bowers

Substituted for: Senate Bill No. 2122

By Senator Springer

AN ACT to amend Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 4, Chapter 29 and Title 4, Chapter 3, relative to the Department of Mental Health and Mental Retardation.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE:

SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 4-29-219(a), is amended by deleting item (25) in its entirety.

SECTION 2. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 4-29-221(a), is amended by adding a new item thereto as follows:

() Department of Mental Health and Mental Retardation, created by Section 4-3-101;

SECTION 3. This act shall take effect July 1, 1998, the public welfare requiring it.

PASSED: April 23, 1998

John S MILLION

APPROVED this day of 1998

DON SUNDQUIST, GOVERNOR

Pursuant to Article III, Section 18, of the Constitution of the State of Tennessee, the Governor had House Bill No. 2152 in his possession longer than ten (10) days, so therefore the bill becomes law without the Governor's signature.